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PEACE WILL BE DELAYED THE VERDICT

BREAKING OFF OF RUSS-GERMAN NEGOTIATIONS MAY MEAN THE RESUMPTION OF FIGHTING SHORTLY.

ADJOURN UNTIL FEB. 18

Conference Between the Crown Prince and Emperor May Have Decided New Moves.

RUSSO-GERMAN NEGOTIATIONS AT BREST-LITOVSK APPARENTLY AGAIN HAVE BEEN BROKEN OFF TEMPORARILY AND THE POSSIBILITY OF A FINAL BREACH IS NOT UNLOOKED FOR IN PETROGRAD.

The armistice of the Eastern front has been extended until Feb. 18, and while it is expected the conferences will be resumed at Warsaw, Nicholas II, the Bolshevik premier, is back in Petrograd and reported to be taking a more important part in the negotiations.

Trotzky Not Satisfactory.

There is some dissatisfaction in Petrograd with the way foreign minister Trotzky has conducted negotiations. Trotzky's campaign of propaganda among the German soldiers is said to be growing in effect and the German military authorities are doing all in their power to end it.

Meanwhile German political and military leaders have been having conferences in Berlin.

Met Emperor.

The crown prince has returned to the German capital and he, with Field Marshal Von Hindenburg, General Von Ludendorff and Chancellor Von Sterling, has conferred with the Emperor. The recall by the emperor of the assistants to the German foreign secretary at the Brest-Litovsk meet, however, indicates that the conferences may have had to do with the peace negotiations, the conduct of which has caused much political furor in Germany during the last two weeks.

Expect Address.

Chancellor Von Hertling is expected to address the main committee of the Reichstag on Wednesday and probably will answer the recent war aims statement of President Wilson and General Lloyd George.

Bolshevik Victories.

The basin of the Don river has been cleared of Cossack troops by Bolshevik soldiers, according to an official announcement. The Bolsheviks are also said to have taken Khabarovsk, a stronghold of the Ukrainians. Russian sailors in Sevastopol are reported to have killed and lynched more than sixty-two of their officers including four admirals. The town of Kilia has been looted by Russian soldiers, who set fire to buildings after robbing houses and shops, causing the population to flee in terror.

Francis' Statement.

David R. Francis, the American ambassador to Russia, in a New Year's message to the Russian people reminded them that a separate peace with Germany would rob them of the results of the revolution. President Wilson's message is greeted with divided opinion by the Bolshevik leaders. Ambassador Francis says the message is the best he can give Russia from America.

On the West Front.

Patrol encounters at several points and artillery activity in the Ypres-Arras area is reported from the British front. North of the Aisne, however, the French front artillery has been violent, but engagements between patrols in the mountain zone and artillery fire along the Pavee marks the situation on the Italian front.

Expect Breakthrough.

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Army Supply House On Arsenal Grounds Is Reported Ablaze

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Jan. 14.—Fire broke out in the quartermaster department building at the Washington barracks this morning. Three alarms were turned in and a large part of the city fire fighting apparatus was on the scene. As the fire gained headway a fourth alarm called a fire apparatus from more distant points. The buildings are located on the United States army grounds along the river front at 4½ miles from Washington.

Buildings on the ground including the United States army war college, far removed from other structures and other barracks and officers' quarters occupied by men of the engineering corps.

JAPAN PREPARES FOR COMMERCIAL CONTEST

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Jan. 14.—Japan is preparing for the commercial contest after the war.

She is increasing her steamship capital. Now the Nippon Yusen Kaisha officers propose to increase their subscribed capital of the company from \$22,000,000 to \$50,000,000, under the approval of the government.

Extension of European and American passenger service is proposed. Japan's growth of ocean-carrying trade has been phenomenal since the outbreak of the war. This is particularly noticeable in the case of vessels plying between Japan and the United States. The total trade of the United States with Japan during the fiscal year 1913 was \$149,000,000. Japanese vessels carried \$85,000,000. In 1915 Japanese vessels carried \$104,000,000 of trade. In 1916 \$137,000,000 and in 1917 \$528,000,000—showing the expansion.

HUN PAPERS PUBLISH PRESIDENT'S SPEECH

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Jan. 14.—President Wilson's address defining the war aims of the United States, has been published in full by the Berlin newspapers and others proposed in other northern cities of Germany, according to reports made by the state department.

In Copenhagen, the department will now cease efforts to distribute the address in Germany. It has been expected even if the address was published, it would be in such garbled form and with such elimination as to rob it of its full value.

NEW DEPARTMENT MAY BE CREATED BY U. S.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Washington, Jan. 14.—The proposal to create a department of munition headed by a new cabinet officer was before the senate military committee when its war inquiry began yesterday.

Members of the war industry testified including Daniel Willard, chairman, and Bernard Baruch and members of the national council of defense had been summoned to testify. Secretary Daniels also may be examined.

Supplemental war appropriations of one hundred and eighty-five million, of which one hundred and fifty million for barracks and quarters and twenty million for the navy were submitted today to congress.

Daniel Willard, chairman of the war industry board, today testified in the senate military committee war inquiry that he had advocated creation of a government minister of munition, but now was in favor of creation.

At Stock Yards.

The Union Stock Yards today began to emerge from the high piles of snow that covered the pens and switchback areas within the stock yard area. Stock trains began unloading today with a semblance of usual activity, but numbers of the cattle and hogs were found frozen in the cars.

River Frozen.

The exceptional drop in temperature which followed the snow and wind brought its quota of trouble to the Cuyahoga river and South Chicago basin which are frozen over for the first time in five years.

Despite the cold of Sunday considerable progress was made in riding the streets in the residential section of drifts.

450,000 MEN MUST BE RAISED AT ONCE

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

London, Jan. 14.—Between 420,000 and 450,000 troops must be raised at once in this country, Sir Auckland deane, minister of national service, told a house of commons today.

Sir Auckland said the government had decided not to introduce conscription in Ireland for the present, nor to change the military age limit. Great Britain and the colonies, he added, had raised seven million men.

The three men dropped through a single trap. One hundred persons, including a number of officials, witnessed the execution and a crowd of 1,000 men gathered at the gates of the jail yard for admission to the jail yard for admission to the jail yard.

THREE ARE HANGED IN BUTTE, MONTANA

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Butte, Montana, Jan. 14.—Three men, Sherman Howell, colored; Ray Gifford, alias O'Neill, and Frank Fisher, were hanged in the jail yard of Silver Bow county at 4:40 a. m. today for the killing of Lloyd George.

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CHICAGO IS WORKING TO END FAMINE

HUNDRED THOUSAND WORKERS INCLUDING SIXTY THOUSAND SCHOOLBOYS ATTACK SNOW DRIFTS.

FUEL AND FOOD NEEDED

Every Vehicle Possible to Convey Coal Is Taken Over by Fuel Administrator to Relieve Suffering.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Chicago, Jan. 14.—An army of workers estimated at more than 100,000, including some 60,000 school boys, today cleared off 48 hours tied up rail road traffic in this city and vicinity and caused what the health authorities termed an alarming shortage of fuel and milk.

Railroads Start.

Every one of the twenty-seven steam railroads entering Chicago resumed limited service today. Officials said it would be at least two days before normal passenger schedules could be established and perhaps a week before movement of freight could be put back on the same basis as before the storm.

Need Supplies.

As soon as each railroad was opened efforts were directed toward bringing into the city fuel and milk and it was announced no attempt would be made toward resumption of passenger traffic on any regular schedule until the shortage of fuel and milk had been met.

Size Coal.

Every ton of coal in the railroad yards was commanded by county fuel administrator Raymond E. Durbin and orders were given to the railroad to divert what coal it had on its books to the most available yards or team track.

The North Western brought into the city after the opening of its tracks last night five trains of coal a total of 125 cars from the Illinois

holds.

Distribute Fuel.

Every available motor truck and similar vehicle has been called into the service by the fuel administrator for the purpose of moving the coal. At the rate the railroads began to move the movement of coal trains it was thought the fuel situation would be cleared. Only a few sections of the city were supplied with milk yesterday but it was said by tomorrow morning the deliveries of that commodity would be restored to normal.

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TAKE DRASIC STEP TO CONSERVE FUEL

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Chicago, Jan. 14.—The huge packing plants of Armour and Company and Swift and Company were shut down today to save fuel. The employees were sent home.

Later several other packing concerns shut down, making the tie-up of stockyards complete. A force of 10,000 men were set to work digging snow from the tracks so coal could be rushed into the yards.

WARM BREAD AND FOOD CARDS ARE EXPECTED

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

Chicago, Jan. 14.—War bread and food cards loom as possibilities according to two members of the National Food Administration, who attended the war bread must come," according to F. C. Walcott, one of Herbert C. Hoover's aides.

The public should demand that bakers produce nothing but war bread, which must be made of at least 20 per cent non-wheat materials, such as cornmeal, oatmeal, rye and barley.

Women's Shoes

Broken Lines

\$2.85 and \$3.69

We have thrown into two lots, to close out at once, all of our Women's Button, Gun Metal and Patent Shoes. These are all from our best grade sellers and are today rare bargains.

D. J. LUBY

Pre-Inventory Sale

In this sale is included merchandise from nearly every section of our store, at reductions indicative of our policy to dispose of odd lots, broken assortments and incomplete lines of first class merchandise.

Here are a few of the many items that are on sale:

Men's ribbed Unions special at \$1.25 each.

Men's heavy Herring Unions at \$1.50 and \$1.75.

Men's French Shirts and Drawers, at each 75c.

Ladies' ribbed, fleeced Vests and Pants, special at each 39c.

Ladies' ribbed Unions, extra value at 75c and 85c.

Men's Caps, with earlaps, 50c and 75c, value at 35c.

Men's Mackinaw Mittens, seconds, special a pair 35c and 45c.

Men's heavy wool Socks at 39c, Men's light web Suspenders, at 25c.

Men's blue bib Overalls, American blue, special at 75c, 85c and 95c.

Men's French Hannel Shirts, regular value \$1.25, on sale at 98c.

Boy's Blouse, Waists, gray or blue, hannel, 75c value at 65c.

Light on dark percales at 35c.

Men's long, stretch, heavy sweaters, maroon, oxford, heather or navy, \$3.95, value at \$3.19; a good, serviceable gray sweater at 95c.

Boys' gray Sweaters at 75c.

Ladies' white or great stripe Waists, \$1.90 value at 89c; \$1.25 at \$1.20; \$2.00 waists at \$1.69.

Ladies' muslin Underskirts at 59c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Ladies' Muslin Gowns at 59c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Buy of us and save money.

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105 W. Milw. St.

DUCHESS' JEWELS
GO TO CHILDREN

TP BURNS CO.
JANESVILLE, WIS.
We save you dollars and cents

Duchess of Marlborough.

The Duchess of Marlborough, who was Consuela Vanderbilt, has given a magnificent collar, built of the famous Vanderbilt pearls and valued at \$25,000, to the children's jewel fund, established by herself in London to raise funds for child welfare centers.

Determining Character.

We prepare ourselves for sudden

deeds by the reiterated choice of good

or evil which gradually determines

character.—George Eliot.

Weather Report

The weather report each day will be found on the first page top right hand corner, where it has appeared regularly for several months.

Notice to Gazette Subscribers

City subscribers missing their paper or failing to receive the Gazette by 6:30 p. m., will con-
fess a favor by reporting same to the Gazette office before 6:45 the same evening. We will not, however, be responsible in case of non-delivery by boys not in our employ. If your name is on our subscription list and on file in our office you should receive your paper regularly. Delivery of Western Union have been discontinued. Calls to this office must be in by 6:45 p. m. in order to insure delivery the same evening. We will appreciate information relative to inferior service on the part of any of our carriers.

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FAMOUS AVIATOR IS
KNOWN BY LOCAL MEN

Lieut. Patrick O'Brien of Momence, Ill., Who Made Thrilling Escape From German Lines, Known by J. A. and H. M. Craig.

Lieut. Patrick O'Brien of Momence, Ill., who escaped from back of the German lines after seventy-two days in the air, forms one of the most thrilling stories of the war, is well known by J. A. Craig and H. M. Craig of this city, who formerly made their home in that city. Lieutenant O'Brien recently arrived in this country and was given an ovation in his home town.

The story of his escape is replete with thrill. While making a flight with three other German lines near Passchendaele his plane was brought down and he received a shot in the throat. After recovering from his wound in a German hospital, he was placed on a train to be taken to the interior of Germany to one of the prison camps.

While traveling in darkness he escaped through the window of a moving train and began making his way back to the front. He traveled by night and slept under what shelter he could find in the day time, eating roots and herbs and whatever else he could obtain in the starving country.

He was able to make his way through the lines without being captured and obtained passage on a ship to England. While in London he was received an hour's interview by King George, being the only officer below the rank of a general to be given this honor.

The British government then paid him a reward for a trip to Toronto where he was tendered a reception at which time he told them of the death of his com. Paul Reiney, of Toronto. On the day following Patrick's injury and capture by the Germans, he was lying in the field hospital when he learned of two airplanes colliding in battle in the air close to his hospital. The machines dashed to the earth and O'Brien requested the attendants to bring the body of the ally flyer to the front. This was done and he stripped bare of non-essentials.

He closed with a plea of a new dedication of life to that wonderful life of the Christian, which is above any standard and which we can hope to perceive. A belief in these things and a faithful following of the precepts were a crucial test of Christianity. He asked his audience to linger with him before the gospel of Jesus Christ, as a way of love—showing all power, all wisdom, and best of all, love. The speaker emphasized the thought that the gospel of Christ was beyond any standard of life. That there was a gulf between the conventionalized and Christian standards. Most of our Christian living is based, he said, on invincible criticism. Our whole civilization is sick to death in bearing this unworthy burden of false standards. "We need," he said, "to lift up our eyes and see the new ideals, that will bring the world, and the church should be above these standards, and stripped bare of non-essentials."

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Rev. Clark Cummings made the prayer and also read the scripture selections while Rev. Pierson made the announcements. An anthem, "To Thee Almighty King," was sung by the choir. Stanley Horwood, giving the solo, Rollo Dobson rendered Schubert's serenade on the violin with organ accompaniment.

At the United Brethren church a similar service was held, presided over by Rev. C. E. Ewing. Rev. Truesdale, who has been absent for some time on account of poor health, was present and took part in the service, making the prayer and reading the scripture lesson. Rev. Franklin Bracken preached the sermon, taking as his subject, "Our Common Task—Christianizing the Community." He began with giving a picture of David Livingstone, dying alone in the center of Africa, and afterward his body being brought back and resting now at Westminster Abbey.

He then took as his text, part of the words written on the plate near where the body now lies. Other words, I have which is not of this world, seem to draw the conclusion, that this great work can not be done by one church working alone, that the Christianizing torch must work together in changing the thought of the city. In different lines—socially, intellectually and morally pursue the improvement to be made. He closed with a plea for united effort to accomplish these results. The choir of the United Brethren church under the direction of Edward Ward rendered appropriate music.

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will take a vast amount of work to raise the sum of money necessary;

that the Treasury Department needs from income taxes, and the help and co-operation of every patriotic citizen is needed. The paying of all income taxes to the United States Government, at this time, is the surest test of a man's patriotism. Every unmarried person having a net income of \$1,000, or more, and every married person having a net income of \$2,000, or more, must make return.

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THE LEGISLATURE.

Governor Philipp will issue his call for the proposed extra session of the Wisconsin state legislature to take up important matters of state importance. Just what the call will contain is still a question unsettled in the minds of citizens generally, and varied have been the suggestions showered upon the governor as what should present for the deliberations of the state law-makers when they have once assembled. One question, it is safe to venture, will be the request for permission to name a United States senator to fill the vacancy caused by the late Paul Harting's death, until the next general election. Whether this will be granted or not remains to be seen. Meanwhile there are plenty of ambitious citizens who would like to present themselves as candidates, and despite all this talk of loyalty and combination of all party or factional interests to select the best man for the place if a special election is called, you would find there would be a multitude of candidates, and in the general mix-up and party friction an undesirable, backed by the disloyal element would nominate their choice and elect him to office. It is not a question of failing to appreciate the loyalty of the citizens of the state that confronts Governor Philipp, but the fact that there is a primary election law on the statute books that would prohibit any possibility of a single loyalty candidate. Repeal the primary election law and then a special election can be called any time with fair hopes of a good, honest and loyal citizen being chosen senator regardless of party. Meanwhile we will wait with interest just what the governor will designate as the facts he desires the special session to consider.

TRAIN SERVICE.

The abandonment of the regular train service on the railroads running into Janesville has demonstrated how much any community is dependent upon the outside world for its existence. Time was when a train a day was sufficient, two or three a great boon, and to become a terminal the heart's desire of every growing community. With the number of trains held here Saturday and Sunday for orders to move or waiting for the tracks to be cleared, Janesville certainly entered into the terminal class at one bound. No papers, no mails from the outside world; it was a funny experience in this way and age and brought home more closely than ever the value of the home newspaper as a distributor of the world's happenings. Fortunately the telephone and telegraph wires kept in working order and through the medium of the Associated Press, the International News and the other services which supply the Gazette with its world's news, the citizens did not have to go without keeping in touch with the war and national and local happenings. It will be several days before the railroads are running again on scheduled time, and meanwhile we must depend upon our service supplies to meet the demand for food and fuel and learn economy with a capital E, which may perhaps, after all, be a good thing.

GERMANY'S PEACE.

Germany evidently over-played its hand a bit with Russia in seeking to dictate all the terms of the proposed peace. It counted upon dealing with a nation that did not know its own mind and would be influenced by the revolutionary leaders who evidently had their inspirations and financial backing direct from Berlin. They underestimated the determination of the allies to stick together and also the power of the neutral nations, whom they evidently have cowed and made thoroughly subservient to their wishes, to turn the scale in favor of the Huns' idea of what peace should be. As it remains, both Lloyd George and President Wilson, for the United States, backed by Italy and France, and all of the nations at war with Germany, told the surprised Teuton statesmen what peace would be when peace really comes. It is nothing like the brand with the trade-mark "Made in Germany," and indicates that this particular brand of designation of any sort of a commodity in the near future will be looked at with scorn. The world wants peace, but they want an honorable peace with the rights of nations and rights of citizens held inviolate, not by "scraps of paper" or the wish of a volatile, half-crazed monarch, but backed by the solid will of the people, upon all the burdens of the war full. Germany is not defeated yet by a long ways. The cry for more American troops to aid in the great work we have entered into signifies that even the most optimistic of the allies feel there is still much left to accomplish before the world is safe from future disturbances and that the German peace is not the brand conducive to such conditions. Russia may swallow a part of the bait, but is part of Russia may, but it will lead to further revolutions in this storm-tossed nation that can not but react in the end on general world conditions and defeat of the savage Hun and his designs in the end.

OLD FASHIONED WINTER.

Even the oldest citizen who has sighed for the old-fashioned winter days of their youth should be satisfied with the present climatic conditions. There is snow a plenty, lots of ice, bobs run, taxes and autos are forgotten luxuries and snow plows and snow shovels have become constant reminders we live in the northern hemisphere beyond the tropical zone. The old-fashioned knit mittens, the knit caps, the wristlets, the home-made woolen vestas, the leggings, the big warm rubbers, are all in evidence. The only features thus far

missing are the rep-topped boots with the copper toes and the tips and hoods for the girls. Perhaps they will come before the snow leaves us. Certainly the present conditions are keeping pace with the great social change in the home activities and the resumption of the knitting instead of the senseless card games and gossiping afternoon receptions and evening dances. The war brought about the knitting revival, but what induced Dame Nature to give this excess of snow and nice and zero weather?

HEARINGS CONTINUE.

Perhaps the hearing being conducted by the United States Senate on the lack of preparation by the war department for training the vast hosts of young men called into service, may not result in the removal from office of the arch offender, the secretary of war, a lot of official heads are being lopped off and supplied are being rushed to cantonments and army camps with a speed that should have been shown months ago. Last but not least the lack of modern machine guns is being remedied in part by the order to ship the stock of Lewis machine guns which a contrary ordinance officer had refused to issue, to the men training for this branch of the service. Before they got through the committee will have stirred the war department to its very depths and it is barely possible convinced some of the administration's warmest friends that "all is not gold that glitters," and a man rather than a rubber stamp is needed to handle such an important department of the government as the war bureau in war time.

The people who are kicking about the slow progress of our ten thousand airplane fleet, include many of the same ones who were scandalized a few years ago by the extravagant idea that congress buy one hundred of them.

The people who kick the hardest about our war debt of \$5,000,000,000, would also squelch the loudest over an indemnity of \$50,000,000,000 if we had to pay it as the result of waiting until we were attacked.

The government is asking the people to eat potatoes every day: The only difficulty in popularizing potatoes is that they are selling for a comparatively moderate price.

The report that the sale of wood saws has increased in these hard times, will probably be followed by another that the sale of drugs to promote digestion has decreased.

Some of the people who are kicking the hardest on the fuel shortage are the same ones who opposed daylight saving and thus helped consume great quantities of coal for lighting.

Some of these men who think the boys should march directly on the trenches always step one side when they see a booth for Red Cross or Y. M. C. A. contributions.

If our friend Kaiser Bill, the "peace lover," doesn't succeed in ending the war pretty soon, he won't be able to steal any more territory during his whole life time.

The Germans who gloated so over bombing London are terribly shocked over the report that the Americans will bomb their cities.

It is denied that the red tape army officials weren't prepared for winter, as they had plenty of uniforms ready.

Toilet soap now costs \$1.35 a cake in Germany. It must take a lot of money to get by Saturday night.

It is denied that everything is higher than it used to be, as the quality is lower.

Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.

RICHES.

One time a man traveled by who seemed to have more joys than I. His motor car was up-to-date. Upon him servants rushed to wait. Thought it life had been good to him. He grabbed his every whim. And it truly is a lucky chap!

I'm glad I'd be if only I had gold and silver and could buy all things I dearly long to own. Surely in gold is gladness known.

Thus thinking, once I watched this man, who seemed so favored by life's plan. And my tasks were o'er. I saw his car approach his door. And when it stopped I stood to see. The man I thought I'd rather be! I saw him quit his cushioned seat. And step into the silent street. And pace the winding walk which led up to his home, with solemn tread. And at the door, where all seemed fair, only a servant met him there.

Only a hired servant came. To greet him and to speak his name. Only man who toiled for day. Received him at the loss of day. There was no child to raise about. And welcome him with merry shout. No little hand his hand to grasp. No little lip to kiss his own. The rich man entered home alone. With all the money he had. He could not buy a welcome glad.

You may be rich, thought I, but oh,

real happiness is mine to know; When I get home all night I hear The sound of my mother's ringing clear. About my neck fond arms are pressed. By little lips are mine caressed;

To me when all my tasks are done, A group of happy youngsters run. You've everything that gold can buy. The greater joy than that have I. I've love to greet when day is o'er. You're just a servant at your door.

"We Must Sail, Not Drift."

I find the great thing in this world is not so much where we stand, as in what direction we are moving, writes O. W. Holmes. To reach the port of heaven, we must sail sometimes with the wind and sometimes against it—but we must sail, and not drift, nor lie at anchor.

Germany is instructing her girls as well as boys in military matters.

The past year has been a banner year in the number of new swimming records established by women.

ARCH DISCIPLES OF MILITARISM MAY BREAK WITH KAISER IF PEACE TERMS ARE MODIFIED AT ALL



Left to right—Von Hindenburg, Prince Leopold of Bavaria and Ludendorff.

Repeated dispatches from central European sources and snatches of news and gossip which escape the eye of the German censors patch themselves together into what seems to be a rather solid foundation for the rumor that a split is imminent in the government at Berlin, which will grow wider the farther pro-peace Germans are able to get.

There seems little doubt in the minds of many students of Berlin politics that resignations would be immediately forthcoming from von Hindenburg, commander of the Teuton armies, and Ludendorff, the silent strategist who is called the brains of the armies, if Germany agrees to any of the Russian peace plans which entail withdrawal by

it is delicious and nourishing. The best substitute, however, is made by running an old straw hat through the meat grinder. Nearly every one has a few straw hats around the house. One gentleman's straw hat will furnish enough breakfast food for a family of twelve and a lady's hat will feed three or four families for a week.

The other day a New York actress was billed to open in a new production at Atlantic City. When she arrived there she discovered to her dismay that she had left her principle may at her apartment in New York. She telegraphed for it. Her housekeeper enclosed it in a six-inch envelope and sent it special delivery. Very soon, if fashions keep on going the pace, it will be possible on occasions of this sort to send the costume by telegraph and, perhaps, by wireless.

THE NEW DANCES.

For instance that dreamy dance known as the jazz is in itself an inspiration. The young man takes the young lady gently but firmly around the neck with his good right arm that her back hair fits nicely into the hollow of his elbow. Then he swings her around gradually until her feet clear the floor. Soon she is giving an imitation of the governor on an inflated high-pressure traction engine. Then while she is whirling he gives three or four somersaults using his free hand for the purpose, and the trick is to keep the lady in the air and not let her hit the floor or break any of the Louis Quinze furniture. When this figure is through he walks on his feet and balances the lady on one of his feet, whirling her gently, tossing her in the air occasionally, as in the old Japanese barrel of silk, then grasping her firmly by the hair and dragging her about the room so deftly that her feet do not touch the floor. This dance is designed for unmarried people. No wife would accept such treatment from her husband even in the fairest of skies. She would almost certainly fail to appreciate the classic intricacies of the movements and would be inclined to fight back just as she does at home.

Written Before Christ.

All the books of the Old Testament were written long before the birth of Christ, some of them as much as 1,400 years before, others from 500 to 1,000 years before, and none less than 300 to 400 years before. The Gospels and other books of the New Testament were written from 33 to 60 or 70 years after the birth of Christ.

The Hardest Palm.

The hardest palm at all common is California's *Trachycarpus excelsus*, known as the windmill palm. Not alone is it hardy in withstanding low temperatures, but it is tough and will endure rough treatment, but boxed it is not a success.

About His Relations.

Judge—"Now, sir, tell us about your marital relations—were they pleasant?" Bilhak—"Pleasant enough, your honor. But they wanted to live on me all the time."—Life.

ENGAGED TO WED
MAJ. GEN. KUHN

Miss Helen H. Squier.

The engagement of Miss Helen H. Squier of Washington to Maj. Gen. Joseph E. Kuhn has recently been announced. The announcement is interesting at this time, as General Kuhn has recently completed a term as president of the war college and is regarded as a likely successor to Major General Bliss when the latter retires in December.

AUSTRALIA BEATS
DRAFT, HE QUILTS

Rt. Hon. W. M. Hughes.

The Rt. Hon. William Morris Hughes, Australian premier, has resigned following the defeat of the draft law he fathered.

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The Minuet.
The old-time "minuet" derives its name from the Latin minutes—small, applying to the short steps peculiar to this dance.

Why Bank Officials Get Gray.
"By the way, Mrs. Small, that check you deposited the other day came back marked 'No funds.' " "Oh, thanks! I won't deposit it this time. I'll cash it instead."—Life.

Have you a house for rent? If so, let a little classified ad rent if for you.

SPIRAL PUTTEES SMARTER THAN
SPATS, SAY GIRLS WHO WEAR 'EM

The spiral puttees of the boys in khaki have been taken up by the girls who aspire to be well ahead of fashion's latest whim. An attractive young person in New York discovered that they are really much nicer than spats and that in cold weather they afford greater warmth to the ankles and environs. Also, they take the eye.

TAKE YOUR PICK of These
THREE GENUINE OFFERS

10% OFF the regular price on every SUIT or OVERCOAT order.

AN EXTRA FINE HAT (either stiff or soft) given with every suit or Overcoat order.

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THESE OFFERS

have become a habit with me every January and February, and the many hundreds who have taken advantage of them in the past, know that they are honestly and genuinely given. There may be some doubters who will say that it's easy to mark up the prices in order to make these offers, but I want to say that when my samples arrive in September I at once mark the prices in plain figures and in ink, and were I inclined to remark them, one could detect it very easily.

MY PRICES

have always been the lowest for good honest goods, and now they will be lower than you will find again in years. Not until this war is over, and then some. These clothes are of the ALL WOOL kind that were manufactured over a year ago (before the U. S. entered the war and commandeered all or almost all of the wool in the country for uniforms, etc.) One manufacturer said to me that when this lot is gone, that the coming year will be a serious one in getting any good all wool cloth at all—it will not be a question of price—but of getting goods.

BUT RIGHT NOW

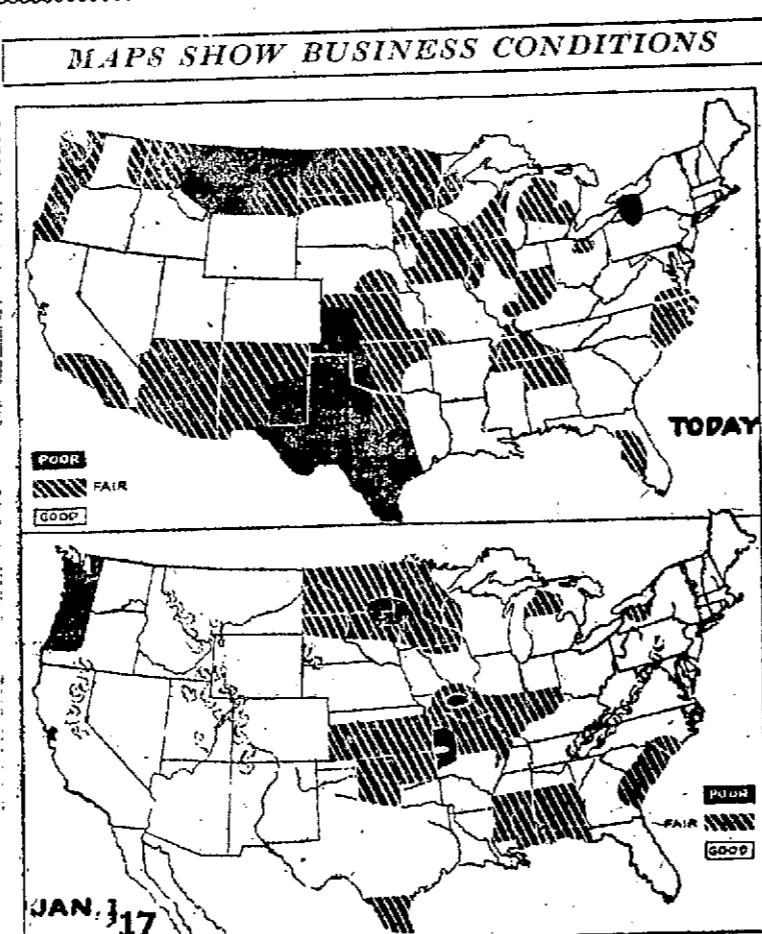
with three strong houses back of me, namely Mason & Hanson, Franklin Woolen Co., and The Lincoln Tailoring Co., I can show you 500 styles of suiting and 84 overcoatings. The suiting are suitable for all weather, a good medium weight. This will be an investment that you cannot afford to pass up—especially when a premium is offered you.

I AM SHOWING

suits (made to your measure) at \$19.00, take 10% off and you can have it for \$17.10; easy to figure. Also many at \$20, \$22.50, \$25, \$27 and \$30, with guaranteed linings, workmanship and POSITIVELY A PERFECT FIT or your money back.

Twelve years in this business ought to convince the most skeptic that I have always done as advertised, and if you still doubt this little, talk, read some wool paper and be convinced that I am telling you straight. Come down and look and buy, and you will get the goods you ordered. (No substitute) for with the three above mentioned houses that buy in quantities you will not be asked to take something else, they have the goods. Come early and get the best and if the goods hang on this sale will last until March 1st. You know where at 56 So. Main St., Opposite Court House Park.

ALLEN



The above graphs, prepared by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, show that business is still good in most sections of the country despite the war. They contrast the prosperity of a year ago (the lower map) with that of today and show that there has been relatively little falling off in business.

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Mrs. DUKE AIDS IN WAR BAZAAR

Mrs. Angier B. Duke in costume she wears at war bazaar.

Many society women are assisting in making the "Hero Land" spectacle at Grand Central Palace, New York city, which opened last Saturday, a great success. It is proving to be the greatest war bazaar ever held in the American metropolis. Mrs. Angier B. Duke, well known in New York society, is assisting at the "Godmothers" league booth.

TRAIN SERVICE ON ALL LINES RESUMED

BOTH RAILROADS RETURN TO
NORMAL SCHEDULES TODAY
—STALLED PASSENGER
TRAINS LEAVE FOR
CHICAGO.

MORE SNOW PREDICTED

Snow Forecasted for Tonight—All
Trains May Be Tied Up Again
First Papers Since Friday
Arrive This Morning.

With snow predicted for tonight and continued cold stated for the next few days, prospects are not the brightest. Although a majority of the trains were run today, it appears probable that traffic will again be blocked if another great amount of snow falls tonight.

Stalled Trains Leave.

The strenuous conditions existing in the city Saturday were somewhat remedied yesterday with the Northwestern passenger trains which were held in the city nearby, for today due to the snow blockade, were sent on to Chicago, Sunday. Two of the five trains which were delayed were consolidated into one section which pulled out at two-thirty yesterday afternoon and two more were formed into another section which delayed until mid-afternoon last night. The third train was sent out at ten o'clock. All three trains were run with two engines and after strenuous trips finally reached Chicago. Snow plows were sent out in all directions yesterday morning on the Northwestern lines and the tracks placed in shape for use. The first train to arrive in Janesville on the Northwestern line pulled in yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Leon Jenson was the guest of relatives in this city for a couple of days the last of the week.

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Mrs. R. McMillen of Chicago, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Donsmore, of the Myers hotel. She will spend several weeks in town.

Ernest Muenchow came up from Camp Grant and spent Sunday at his home.

Harry McClure, head of the dining car system on the Minneapolis and Omaha road, and former Janesville resident, was detained in this city on his way from Chicago to Minneapolis the last of the week, on account of the storm.

Mrs. J. A. Marken and Mrs. Leora Watkins of Chicago are in the city. They were called here by the recent death of their father, the late O. D. Brack.

Don D. Brack of Minneapolis is in the city. He was called here by the recent death of his father, the late O. D. Brack.

Miss Irene De Mar of Whitewater is the guest of friends in this city this week.

R. M. Richmond of Evansville was a business visitor the last of the week in town.

Rev. H. G. Rogers of Orfordville was a recent visitor in town. He came to attend the meeting of the Educational campaign held in this city a few days ago.

Out-of-town Visitors.

Miss Katherine Skern of Rockford has returned after a trip in town with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Skern, of Cornelia street.

Miss Frank Bradford has gone to visit her daughter for several days.

Mrs. R. H. Hale, at her country home in La Prairie.

Mrs. Jay Bliss of this city went to Evansville today. She is past warden of the Evansville chapter of the O. E. S. and will act as installing officer of the newly organized chapter of the late Mrs. Jessie McClinton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Kerch of Jefferson will close their home for about two months. Mr. Kerch has gone to California to visit his parents, and Mrs. Kerch will spend several weeks in Detroit and Chicago with relatives and friends.

Peter Olson of Brodhead has returned after a visit in Janesville the last of the week.

Richard Dawson of Evansville, who was a business visitor in town for a few days recently, has returned.

Mrs. James MacLean of Los Angeles, Calif., who has been visiting relatives in this city, has gone to Chicago, where she will visit friends before returning here for thirty hours.

Sleep Deprived.

Traveling men stranded here with only ten or fifteen dollars in their possession thought to engage in a friendly little game to while away what they thought would be only a few hours in the city. As a result many of them lacked funds to obtain lodgings and were forced to sleep in the depots all night. Both depots were kept open to the stranded passengers Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights and many of them took advantage of the opportunity to sleep there. All hotels were crowded to capacity for the three nights, but the majority of the guests checked out this morning and left for their destinations.

Seven local men stalled in Beloit, Saturday, started out at four-thirty in the afternoon to walk to Janesville. Five dropped off at different stages of the journey and rested at farm houses while the other two kept at it until they arrived here at ten-thirty Saturday night, being six hours on the road. They followed the interurban tracks most of the way, and encountered drifts waist-deep.

Papers Arrive.

The first outside newspapers to arrive in the city since Friday, came in from Chicago at eight-thirty this morning, on the "paper train," which is due to arrive at six-thirty. The train which pulled in from Chicago on the Northwestern line at eight o'clock last evening, was twenty-four hours on the road, being stalled for fourteen hours near Harvard. All engines which arrived in the city were coated with ice and snow, the engines being covered with snow, reaching as high as the smokestacks.

Shovels Well Paid.

A crew of one hundred and fifty men was kept busy yesterday and today at the Northwestern yards shoveling snow. Many men left town in the city to work at the yards where they were paid fifty cents an hour and given twelve hours' pay for ten hours' work.

Bid booster before inventory sale at Ford's. All clothing, tailoring, hats, underwear, shirts, sweaters, per cent less.

BLANKET SPECIAL.

Tomorrow we shall have on sale about 25 pair high grade white wool finish cotton blankets which have become slightly soiled from handling. Worth \$2.50 pair. On sale tomorrow per pair, \$2.50. Second floor.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Marian Maxfield is slowly recovering from a very serious illness at her country home.

Dr. Emil Schwiegler, after an illness of some time which confined him to his home, was able to resume his duties today.

J. E. Gokeen, has returned from Rochester, Minn.

Mrs. Walter Carle, entertained at bridge on Friday last, Mrs. Carl Aspinwall and Mrs. Walter Sykes being awarded the prizes.

Friends and relatives of Willis McDonald are in receipt of word that he has enlisted, and is with Co. 43, Coast artillery, now stationed at Presidio, California.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fiese, 263 Rockwood Street, Franklin, announce the birth of a son, born Thursday, Jan. 10.

Miss Maud Campbell of Platteville, Wis., is spending a few days with friends in this city.

John Waugh of Avalon was a Saturday visitor in Janesville.

The Misses Birdie Lenz and Cattie Williams of Albany, Wis., were the guests of friends in town for the week.

C. M. Hodge of Milwaukee was a business visitor in this city the last of the week. He has been detained in town on account of the storm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Conn and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. A. Edgerton, remained yesterday with the Northwestern passenger trains which were held in the city nearby, for today due to the snow blockade, were sent on to Chicago, Sunday. Two of the five trains which were delayed were consolidated into one section which pulled out at two-thirty yesterday afternoon and two more were formed into another section which delayed until mid-afternoon last night. The third train was sent out at ten o'clock. All three trains were run with two engines and after strenuous trips finally reached Chicago. Snow plows were sent out in all directions yesterday morning on the Northwestern lines and the tracks placed in shape for use. The first train to arrive in Janesville on the Northwestern line pulled in yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Leon Jenson was the guest of relatives in this city for a couple of days the last of the week.

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MUTT AND JEFF, OF CARTOON FAME, WILL BE SEEN AT MYERS THEATRE, WEDNESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 16TH, IN "MUTT AND JEFF DIVORCED."

About Your Errors.
Remember that to change thy opinion and to follow him who corrects thy error is as consistent with freedom as it is to persist in thy error.—Marcus Aurelius.

Seems Rather Conservative.
We are frank to say that we would hardly accuse the Pittsburgher, who sued his wife for divorce after she had left him 40 times, of being overly precipitous.—Marion Star.

Dangerous Symptom.
"I hear that Ellicum is going to run for congress." "Really? I'm not surprised. When he was a boy they say his parents were awfully worried about him."—Life.

PLAYROOM FOR CHILD ACTORS AT ESSANAY
A regular playground and nursery has been established at the Essanay studios for the use of the scores of movie children who are members of Mary McAlister's company now filming comedy dramas of child life. Considerable difficulty was experienced with the children until this novel idea was put into effect.



Besie Love trying to look like Mary Pickford.

They romped over the expensive sets, breaking several vases and scattering the furniture, and often got into the directors' way. Now, however, they have ample room and opportunity to play to their heart's content when they are not in the scenes.

WHY HE LIVES THERE

Now comes the truth as just why Francis X. Bushman purchased "Bushmanor," one of the show places of Francis and the five little Bushmans there. Francis lived in the city when he was a boy, and still cherishes a kindly feeling for it. So when he came into wealth, he turned back to the place of his youth.

Bele Bennett, who scored a success as the "Hell Cat of Alaska," is a most unvampirish sort of vampire in everyday life. Miss Bennett has a sweet disposition and a most kindly nature and she loves to talk partly as a rule to relieve one's views of vampires. Miss Belle can sink her identity when playing any part and owes a great deal to her experience in stock. She

Our January Clearance Sale

Goes merrily on. All this week the same *low prices* will prevail throughout the store.

The Golden Eagle All Furs
Levy's Reduced 33 1/3%

All Women's and Misses' Ready-to-Wear Garments Greatly Reduced.

Beautiful Coats at January Clearance Prices. Our entire coat stock offered in three big lots for quick clearance.

LOT I.
Women's and Misses' Coats, values to \$35.00 now

\$18.75

LOT II.
Women's and Misses' Coats, values to \$25.00, now

\$16.75

LOT III.
Women's and Misses' Coats, values to \$20.00, now

\$11.65

HANDSOME PLUSH COATS

Latest Belted and Flare styles at THIRTY-THREE AND ONE-THIRD PER CENT LESS.

20 MATA LAMB COATS

Always popular and serviceable, latest styles, \$18.25 values, now **\$10.85**

Smart Blouses at January Clearance Prices

After Inventory we find our stock of Waists entirely too large. Stock must be reduced by One-Half in the next 10 days. Will these low prices do it?



One lot of Handsome Georgette Crepe Waists, all colors, values to \$7.50, at \$5.69
One lot of Crepe de Chine Waists, \$4.00 and \$5.00 values, excellent styles, choice at \$3.65
One lot of Broken Sizes in Crepe de Chine Blouses, \$3.95 values at \$2.75
\$7.50 values at \$4.95
One lot of Lingerie Blouses, broken sizes: \$2.50-\$2.75 values now \$1.69
ONE LOT OF MIDDY BLOUSES, LONG SLEEVES, REGULAR \$1.50 and \$1.25 VALUES, AT

\$2.50-\$3.75 values now \$2.48
\$5.00-\$6.50 values now \$3.95
One lot of broken sizes in Tub Silk Blouses, regular \$4.50 values, at \$2.65
One lot broken sizes Jap Silk Blouses, regular \$2.75 values, choice \$1.79
One lot of Silk Like Blouses, regular \$1.75 values, choice \$1.39
One lot of Blouses, regular \$1.00 values, choice 79c
\$1.19

Gossard Corsets Offered at Practically Cost

By permission of the Gossard Corset Co. we are able to offer Gossard Forte Lace Corsets at practically cost for a limited time only.

Regular \$12.50 values now \$8.50
Regular \$10.00 values now \$7.50
Regular \$8.50 values now \$6.50
Regular \$7.50 values now \$5.00
Regular \$5.00 values now \$3.50
Regular \$3.50 values now \$2.50

CLOSING OUT CORSETS
Madame Irenes, choice of any Madame Irene Corsets AT HALF PRICE.

CLOSING OUT ALL FRO LA SET CORSETS
Your choice of any Fro la Set model at HALF PRICE.

Great Silk Sale

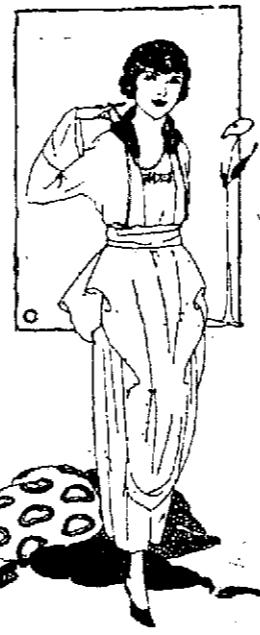
Don't miss it. Hundreds of yards of novelty striped and plaid silks, 36 inches wide, regular \$2.00 value, now per yard \$1.75

Beautiful Silk Teffeta

At Clearance Prices 800 yards of Crisp New Taffeta, 36 inches wide, at yard \$1.69

Gorgeous Afternoon Dresses

including Satins, Charmeuse, Georgette Crepe, Crepe De Chine and Taffetas, all desirable colors, values up to \$60.00 now \$26.85

**While Domestics are Going Higher We Offer Them For Less**

Seamless Sheets, made from the best quality muslin, free from starch, 81x90, while they last, each \$1.15
Seamless Sheets, 63x90, made extra of quality muslin, limited quantity only, while they last, each \$1.00
Pillow Cases, extra heavy quality, 45x36, limited quantity, each 25c
Heavy eight 9.4 Bleached Sheet 44c
Pillow Tubing, excellent quality, 42x45 in, yd 24c
Punjab Percales, broken lot, yard 20c
One lot Ginghams, beautiful plaids and stripes, at 19c
One lot Curtain Nets, 35c values 29c

lives at Culver City and says she is far too busy to cultivate the bright lights and she drinks "hard" concoctions only in the movies.

The Goldwin company recently experienced one of the many little vexations attendant to movie-making when, after a month or more spent in advertising the addition of R. A. Walsh to their list of directors, the discovery was made that the Fox corporation had an option on Walsh's services and intended to exercise it.

Time for Discretion.

"Why, I've got one foot in the grave and the other foot on a banana peel, so to speak," responds a man of sixty-five, sued for breach of promise in New York. Under such circumstances there is every reason why a man should exercise discretion.—Boston Globe.

Value of Concentration.

Concentration is the most desirable of mental faculties. It is the power of paying attention to the thing and person in hand. It is an investment that yields large dividends, including that of fascination.

Bargains in almost every line are to be found daily in the classified columns.

MYERS
P. L. MYERS, MGR.**WED. JAN. 16th**

SCANDAL IN HIGH LIFE
Who is the Co-respondent?
MUTT or JEFF?

IN—

THE BIGGEST SCREAM IN YEARS!

Bud Fisher's Merrit:

MUTT & JEFF DIVORCED

The Barnum & Bailey Circus Epidemic presented with a Cast, Chorus, Scenic and Costume Equipment Unparalleled: Songs That All the World is Humming.

DANCES Defying Description.

PRICES: Lower floor, 1st 12 rows, \$1; balcony, 75c; 1st 2 rows, balcony, 50c; gallery, 25c.

Seat sale open Tuesday A. M., January 15th, 9 o'clock.

Dance Tuesday Night

At Armory Hall

Under Auspices 16th Sept. Co. W. S. G.

Enjoy Hatch's Famous Jass Orchestra

Tickets 55c. Ladies Unaccompanied 11c.

Dancing From nine Until 12.

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Without a doubt “THE SILENT MAN” is one of the Greatest Pictures WM. S. HART has ever Appeared In. DON'T FAIL TO SEE IT.

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COMING

Watch For Date.

Sir Gilbert Parker's

Greatest Novel,

The

Judgement House

Paramount Special.

TUESDAY

The management of this theatre takes great pleasure in presenting for public approval a wonderful picture program,

“The Italian Battlefront”

The first and only official Italian War Films to reach America.

Shown in 10 parts.

BATTLE AT THE TOP OF THE ALPS**THE BATTLE AND CAPTURE OF GORIZIA****WAR IN THE SKY AND ON THE SEA****SINKING OF AN AUSTRIAN SUBMARINE**

The most glorious episodes of the struggle which the Italians are now carrying on in the Alps, on the Gras, on the Sea. The modern weapons of war are shown, the submarines, aeroplanes, dirigibles.

The only official authentic films of the Royal Italian government. Photographed by the Cinemographic Division of the Italian army, under the direction of the Italian General Staff.

SPECIAL NOTICE: This film will be greatly appreciated by Teachers, Professional Men, Scholars, Ministers and the intelligent classes. It is not a terrible war picture, there is no bloodshed, but one glimpses the super-human feats employed by the Italians in carrying on warfare under adverse natural conditions. From an historical standpoint, too, it is of great interest.

Matinee, all seats, 25c. Evening, reserved, 50c; not reserved, 25c.

PETEY DINK—IT'S SOMETHING ELSE PETEY NEEDS.



PATENTS TO INVENTORS.

Richard A. C. Caldwell, Solicitor of Patents, St. Paul, Minn.; Milwaukee, reports patents recently issued to Wisconsin inventors, as follows:

Thomas E. Damm, (Rhinelander), wire twisting device; John Daniel, Milwaukee, safety starting crank; Arthur E. Greenwald, (Chippewa Falls), fishing rod attachment; Henry Grundmann, La Crosse, chair; Frank G. Hibbard, Waukesha, spring switch; William H. Johnson, Milwaukee, display or set; Maurice C. Pierce, Madison, combination telephone attachment; Wilber J. Pine, Oshkosh, vehicle spring; Martinlin Rahr, Jr., Milwaukee, automobile curtain; Arnold C. Ritz, Milwaukee, combined summer and flash reflector for gas stoves; Harry Roth, Milwaukee, door; Louis A. Scammon, Green Bay, cutting mechanism for interlocking machines; Joseph A. Tschelkington, Hartford, door latch; Otto C. Voss, West Allis, casting for electrical apparatus.



Resinol

Even in severe, well-established cases of eczema, ringworm or similar afflictions, Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap usually relieve the itching at once and quickly overcome the trouble. Physicians have prescribed this simple, efficient treatment for many years.

All druggists sell Resinol. Sample free. Dept. DR, Resinol, Baltimore, Md.

BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at the Cause and Remove It

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work.

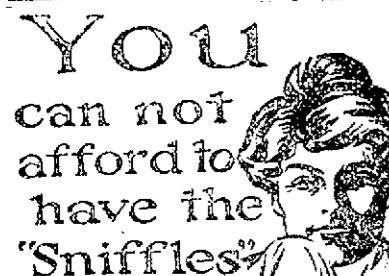
People afflicted with bad breath find quick relief through Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who know them.

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All the benefits of nasty, sickening, griping cathartics are derived from Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets without griping, pain or any disagreeable effects.

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are purely a vegetable compound, mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color. Take one or two every night for a week and note the effect. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

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Everybody reads the Want Ads.

The
**YUKON
TRAIL**
A Tale of the North

By
William MacLeod Raine

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With a little digging the Alaskan uncovered a leg. The man had died where he had fallen, face down. Macdonald scooped away the snow and found a pack strapped to the back of the buried man. He cut the thongs and tried to ease it away. But the gunny sack had frozen to the pack. When he pulled, the rotten packing gave way under the strain. The contents of the pack spilled out.

The eyes in the grim face of Macdonald grew hard and steely. He had found, by some strange freak of chance, much more than he had ex-

pected.

"But what for?"

"For robbing the bank and killing Robert Milton, as you know well enough."

"Is this another plan arranged for me by you and Selfridge?" demanded Elliot.

Macdonald ignored the question and lifted his voice. "Come out of that tent, Holt—and come with your hands up unless you want your head blown off."

"Holt isn't in that tent, you idiot. If you want to know—"

"Come now, if you expect to come alive," cut in the Scotsman ominously. He raised the rifle to his shoulder and covered the shadow thrown by the sun on the figure within.

Gordon flung out a wild protest and threw the frozen slab of bacon at the head of Macdonald. With the same motion he launched his own body across the stove. A fifth of a second earlier the tent flap had opened and Sheba had come out.

The sight of her paralyzed Macdonald and saved her lover's life. It distracted the mine-owner long enough for him to miss his chance. A bullet struck the stove and went off at a tangent through the tent canvas not two feet from where Sheba stood. A second went speeding toward the sun. For Gordon had followed the football player's instinct and dived for the knees of his enemy.

They went down together. Each squirming for the upper place, they rolled over and over. The rifle was forgotten. Like cave men they fought, crushing and twisting each other's muscles with the blind lust of primordials to kill. As they clutched with one arm, they struck savagely with the other. The impact of smashing blows on naked flesh sounded horribly cruel to Sheba.

She ran forward, calling on each by name to stop. Probably neither knew she was there. Their whole attention was focused on each other. Not for an instant did their eyes wander, for life and death hung on the issue.

Chance had lit the spark of their resentment, but long-burdened passions were blazing fiercely now.

They got to their feet and fought to the toe. Sledge-hammer blows beat upon bleeding and disfigured faces. No

one could have been more excited.

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Slowly Macdonald Moved Toward It

He expected to find. Using his snowshoe as a shovel, he dug the body free and turned it over. At sight of the face he gave a cry of astonishment.

Gordon overslept. His plan had been to reach Kusik at the end of a long day's travel, but that had meant getting on the trail with the first gleam of light. When he opened his eyes Mrs. Olson was calling him to rise.

He dressed and stepped out into the cold, crisp morning. From the hill crotchet the sun was already pouring down a great, faulke shaft of light across the snow vista. Swiftwater Peter passed behind him on his way to the stable and called a cheerful good morning in his direction.

Mrs. Olson had put the stove outside the tent and Gordon lifted it to the spot where they did the cooking.

"Good morning, neighbor," he called to Sheba. "Sleep well?"

The little rustling sounds within the tent ceased. A face appeared in the doorway, the flaps drawn discreetly close beneath the chin.

"Never better. Is my breakfast ready yet?"

"Come and help me make it. Mrs. Olson is waiting on Holt."

"When I'm dressed." The smiling face disappeared. "Dublin Bay" sounded in her fresh young voice from the tent. Gordon joined in the song as he lit the fire and sliced bacon from a frozen slab of it.

The howling of the huskies interrupted the song. They had evidently heard something that excited them. Gordon listened. Was it in his fancy only that the breeze carried to him the faint jingle of sleigh-bells? The sound, if it was one, died away. The cook turned to his job.

He stopped sawing at the meat, knife and bacon both suspended in the air. On the hard snow there had come to him the crunch of a foot behind him. Whose? Sheba was in the tent. Swiftwater at the stable. Mrs. Olson in the house. Slowly he turned his head.

What Elliot saw sent the starch through his body. He did not move an inch, still sat crouched by the fire, but every nerve was at tension, every muscle taut. For he was looking at a rifle lying negligently in brown, steady hands. They were very sure hands, very competent ones. He knew that because he had seen them in action. The owner of the hands was Colby Macdonald.

The Scotch-Canadian stood at the edge of a willow grove. His face was grim as the day of judgment.

"Don't move," he ordered.

Elliot laughed irritably. He was both annoyed and disgusted.

"What do you want?" he snapped.

"You."

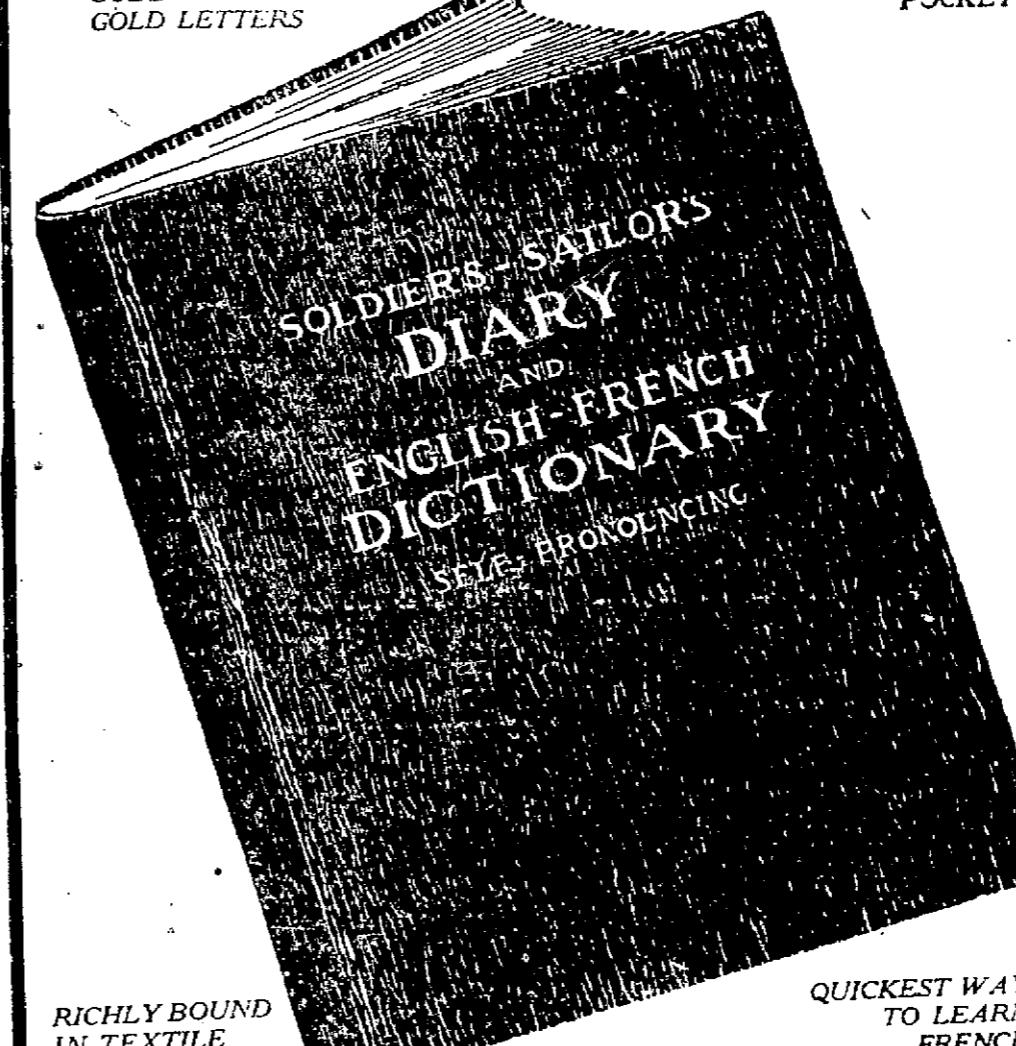
"What's worrying you now? Do you think I'm jumping my bond?"

"You're going back to Kusik with me—to give a life for the one you took."

"What's that?" cried Gordon, surprised.

"Just as I'm telling you. I've been on your heels ever since you left town. You and Holt are going back with me

GOLD EDGES—
GOLD LETTERS



SPACES UNDATED

You may start this diary any day—it never can become out-of-date. Other diaries are useless after date specified.

75c One Coupon
SECURES THE BOOK

MAIL ORDERS
Filled on terms explained in Coupon in this paper, on classified page.

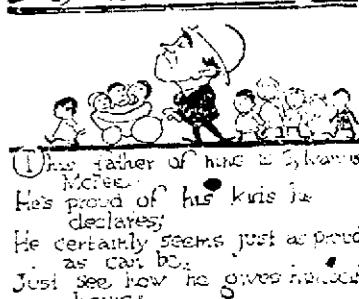
compose yourselves. There is no danger."

The audience did not seem to be aware.

"Ladies and gentlemen," continued the comedian, rising to the necessity of the occasion, "confound all to you think, if there was any danger I'd be here."

The panic collapsed.

LOONY LYRICS



Rock, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Mark Baum entertained seventeen guests, all relatives, during the holidays.

Ned Noyes of Chicago was the guest of his mother recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kehn and son Earl have returned from a visit with relatives at New Richmond.

Mrs. Charles MacBeth of Davenport, Iowa, was the guest of her father, fast-walking Ned.

G. G. Waterman goes to Milwaukee Saturday, where he will be the guest of friends over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jensen were called to Chicago by the sudden death of her brother's wife last Wednesday.

Otto Nieman has gone to Madison to look after his ice business.

Dinner Stories

"After one of the famous fairs at Tipperary a man was found guilty of murdering another man by striking him with a blackthorn," said former President Taft, illustrating a point in



"contribution negligence." The judge asked the usual question—had he anything to say why sentence should not be passed upon him?"

"Well, my lord," answered the prisoner, "all I can say is that a man with thin skin had no business at Tipperary fair."

After two months at Rockford Private Nelson for his leave at last, and made what he conceived to be the best use of his holiday by getting married.

On the journey back, at the station, he gave the gateman his marriage certificate in mistake for his return railway ticket.

The official studied it carefully and then said:

"Yes, my boy, you've got a ticket for a long, wearisome journey, but not on this road."

One night at a theater some scene-cries took fire and a very perceptible odor of burning alarmed the spectators. A panic seemed to be imminent, when an actor appeared on the stage.

"Ladies and gentlemen," he said,

to look after his ice business.

ed appetite, a feeling of lassitude and a general weakening of the system. It is then that you should promptly take a few bottles of S. S. S., the great blood purifier and strengthener, it will cleanse the blood thoroughly and build up and strengthen the whole system. S. S. S. is sold by all druggists. Valuable information about the blood supply can be had free by writing to the Swift Specialty Co., Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

When you are in perfect health and are enjoying a strong and vigorous vitality, it is then that your blood is free from all impurities.

You should be very careful and give heed to the slightest indication of impure blood. A sluggish circulation is often indicated by an impair-

ment of the heart.

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Every soldier and sailor will feel obliged to learn French. Everybody connected with the war should record events as they occur. This need is best fulfilled by the handsome

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Now being distributed exclusively by

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WAR BREAD FROM SMALL POTATOES

Means Ten Wheatless Days a Month.

100,000,000 Bushels of Potatoes Will Save 100,000,000 Bushels of Wheat—Potato Bread Better.

By P. G. HOLDEN.

It is hardly possible to estimate from a standpoint of food conservation the great value of potatoes as a substitute for wheat and other grains in the making of bread.

One hundred million bushels of small potatoes will save 100,000,000 bushels of wheat. About 30 per cent of the annual potato crop in the United States consists of small potatoes which are unmarketable, make little use of, practically wasted, almost a total loss to the country. The small potatoes can be substituted for one-third the wheat flour used in making bread. Potato bread is better bread in every way than bread made entirely of wheat or a combination of wheat and other grains.

The use of potatoes in bread is economical at any time. It is patriotic at this time; it utilizes waste potatoes; saves wheat and other grain which can be exported; saves corn, barley and oats which can be used to produce meats and fats for our soldiers; gives us white, moist and wholesome bread for every meal; does not require extra work for the housewife, nor change the usual custom and practices of the home; means two and one-third wheatless days a week, ten wheatless days a month, four wheatless months a year.



Saves Waste of Potatoes.

Potatoes are grown in every section of the country, found in every home, are a universal food. Every family can produce them. Potatoes are an abundant crop in the United States; the possibilities of increasing the total yield in this country cannot be estimated. Potatoes are a perishable crop—cannot be exported to foreign countries, cannot be carried over from one season to another. The potatoes we grow in this country we must use at home. The nature of potato starch is so nearly the same as wheat flour that there is no difficulty in using this combination in bread making.

Last season the farmers of the United States produced about 440,000,000 bushels of potatoes. About 100,000,000 bushels of this crop were small, irregular, unmarketable potatoes.

I earnestly believe that in no other way can so great a saving be made in food in America with so little labor and so small expense as the use of small potatoes in the making of bread in place of small grains which can be shipped to our soldiers and the fighting armies of the allies to help us win this war.

How to Make Potato War Bread. Baked or boiled potatoes, mashed or put through ricer, can be substituted for one-third the wheat flour in any standard recipe for making wheat bread, biscuits, pancakes, waffles, doughnuts, pie crusts, etc. When potatoes are used, a little less liquid may be required in the mixing.

The Agricultural Extension Department of the International Harvester Company, Chicago, will send, free of charge to anyone, sample copy of war bread recipes.

GREAT MASS MEETING AT WAR CONFERENCE

Chicago, Jan. 14.—The first "War Conference" of Illinois opened here today, with representation of practically every organization in the state interested in war work and individuals active in war movements in attendance. The conference will close tomorrow evening.

The conference opened this afternoon with a joint meeting of all participants, at which various forms of war work now in progress were considered, as well as the means of making this work more efficient.

Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane and Sir Frederick E. Smith, Attorney-General of Great Britain, will be the principal speakers at a great mass meeting to be held this evening.

Among other notables at the conference are Dr. J. A. B. Sherer, president of the Troy Institute; General Charles G. Dawes, and Arthur E. Botor, chairman of the speaking division of the Committee on Public Information.

The conference was called by the Illinois State Council of Defense.

CONGRESS URGED TO LIMIT WAR TIME USE OF AUTOS

By P. G. HOLDEN.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Congress may take drastic steps to restrict the use of motor cars during the war to conserve oil.

Senator Kenyon, member of the committee investigating fuel, declared the use of pleasure cars during the war should not be allowed. Great Britain has found it cannot keep its motor cars going and at the same time fill the oil needs of its navy, he said, adding that, unlike the condition in this country, automobiles are never seen in front of theatres in London and other cities.

Washington Can Always Count On Comeback From Lewis and His Gun

Washington, Jan. 14.—Like the bad gun on the lost cat, Col. Isaac N. Lewis is always coming back. Several times in the past years certain war department and army folk have congratulated themselves that Lewis had been disposed of. But the colonel is never disposed of. And he always comes back with his gun.

In fact it is a gun that brings him back, a maimed man, a fellow, a thorough patriot, an inventor, and mathematician as well as a student of military. Colonel Lewis would rather not have to be wrangling around the capital. But he can't keep away one way or another.

It was back in 1912 Lewis first had his gun—a machine gun which may be used as a gun tested for adoption by the United States. No test was made by the ordnance department until the following year, when at Springfield arsenal the colonel's gun and others were given tryouts. The Vickers gun was officially o.k'd at these trials.

Later, according to Major Gen. William Crozier, chief of the ordnance department, the ordnance department asked for Lewis' guns to test, but none was available. Colonel Lewis having taken his gun abroad, where it was received with acclaim in England and Belgium. The next

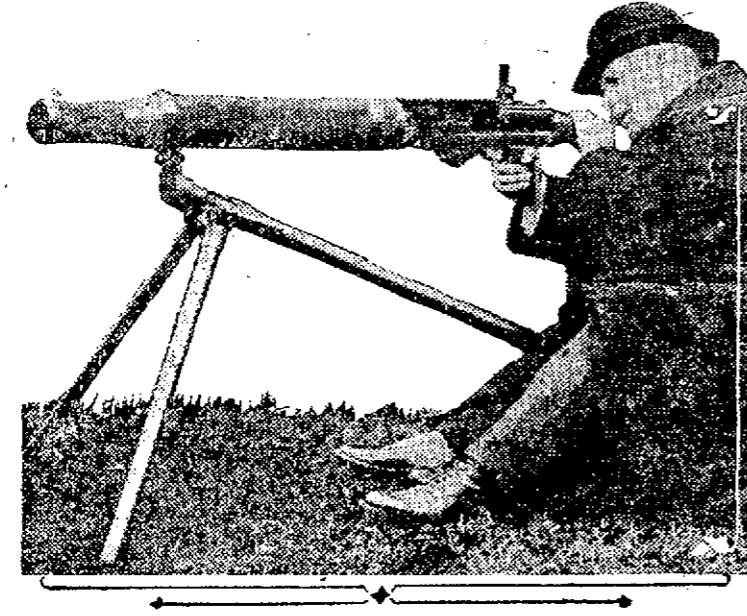
test came in 1916, in April, and the gun was withdrawn by the Savage Arms Company before that test was completed. In 1917 it was finally adopted by the United States navy after exhaustive tests on the proving grounds at Indian Head, Md. This was after all of the allies had been using the gun effectively. It had been dubbed the "Belgian Rattler" in Belgium and was famous for its ability to account for the Hun in the second year of the war.

The Lewis gun is part of the equipment of the tanks, the land tanks which were so effective at Messines Ridge and Cambrai. The French have used Lewis guns in practically every branch of the service, notably in India.

When the government finally bought Lewis guns, in spite of General Crozier's statement that the would never let the Lewis gun go to the trenches, Lewis got \$10,889.

He turned the check to the treasury. After lengthy and prolonged correspondence the check was accepted by the government, but Colonel Lewis never received final acknowledgement of it or any form of thanks.

The whole Lewis gun story was rehearsed again at the recent senate army inquiry into ordnance.



Col. I. N. Lewis and his gun.

Tales of the Friendly Forest

By DAVID CORY

Of course the Swordfish swam away with Billy Bunny's rubber boot away with his sword, but one can't go into a fight without losing something, and it was lucky the little rabbit didn't lose both his boots. Well, anyway, the Whale was so thankful that the wicked Swordfish had given him a big hole in his side that he said he'd buy Billy Bunny a new pair of rubber boots. "I think I can get them at the lighthouse over there," he said.

"Yankee Doodle Billy Bunny
Ran on a Whale
Stuck his rubber boot upon
The wicked fish's tail."

Wait a moment, please! What he meant was that Billy Bunny had stuck it on his sword. When a whale spouts poetry he's liable to say 'most anything you know.

By and by they came to the Lighthouse and the keeper asked 'what was that?

"Have you any rubber boots?" asked the Whale, and when he told the man what Billy Bunny had done, and the lighthouse keeper laughed so hard that his tears ran down his cheeks and spat out his pipe. Then he went inside the lighthouse and brought out

a little pair of rubber boots. "These here boots belong to my little boy by you kin bev them," he said, "for I never heard of so brave a bunny in my time."

Then the Whale swam off, and Billy Bunny stood up on his back and sang to the Lighthouse Keeper:

"Keep your Big Lamp burning bright
Through the dark and stormy night
Safe the Sailor Boy can guide
Safe his boat upon the tide
Let the waves be strong and free
Safe across the pathless sea
Safe that neither wind nor foam
Keeps the sailor from his home."

After this the little rabbit began to feel hungry, so he opened his knapsack and took out an apple pie. "How are you going to eat any?" he asked the Whale.

"Easy enough," replied the great big fellow. "Put a piece on the end of my tail." And when the little bunny had done this the Whale bent his tail and slipped the piece of pie into his mouth as nicely as you please.

(And if Jack Frost doesn't write all over the window pane tonight so I can't see what Billy Bunny does tomorrow, I'll tell you another story about the little rabbit.)

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